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For: **Distributed Differential Coupling Combined Power System**

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Sir:

This paper is in response to the Official Action dated April 25, 2003.

A petition for a two-month extension of time together with the appropriate fees and a Request for Continued Examination accompany this response so that it is timely filed.

Amendments to the claims are begin on page 2.

Amendments to the drawings are set forth on page 13 and in the attached substitute sheets of drawings.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13.